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THE REAL QUESTION.
The real question of disease is "Can I be cured?" If you are anyone else to you is losing strength, losing energy and vitality, if you are wise you will not spend time trying to figure out just what is the matter with you, but will at once call the disease by its name. It is almost impossible to draw the line where debility and disease merge into consumption. Your trouble may not be consumption today, but you don't know what it may become tomorrow. Hundreds of people have been restored to robust health by Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" after reputative physicians had pronounced them consumptive beyond hope.

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Fatally Shot.
Information reached Norfolk yesterday of a tragedy at Pungo, in a remote section of Princess Anne county, late Saturday night. W. H. Davis was fatally shot, it is alleged, by John J. Dawley, who was his intimate friend. Following the shooting Dawley, it is charged, set fire to his father's barn and was seriously burned in escaping from the flames.

Davis, upon returning in his buggy from a lodge meeting, stopped at Dawley's store, where he found young Dawley, the proprietor's son. It is alleged that Dawley had been drinking and had quarreled with his father. Dawley consented to go home with Davis in the latter's buggy, but insisted that a revolver which was taken from him earlier in the evening be returned.

Davis and Dawley left the store together and shortly afterward Davis received the revolver to Dawley, who, it is alleged, without warning or cause, fired two bullets into the man sitting beside him. The two men fought desperately for possession of the weapon, which was wrested from Dawley's grip by the wounded man, who threw it into the road. Dawley leaped from the buggy, but as he did so he whipped up the horse, causing the frightened animal to run away.

Davis succeeded in reining the horse and drove to the home of a friend, who carried him to a physician, but too late to save his life.

Dawley returned to his home and went into the barn, which was shortly afterward set on fire and burned to the ground, Davis's alleged slayer having a narrow escape from cremation.

Before he died Davis, who is much older than Dawley, who is twenty-two years old, pleaded that a charitable construction be put upon Dawley's deed. Dawley is held a prisoner at his home under guard. He is in such condition that his removal to jail was deemed unwise.

Place-seeking Ministers.
Rev. W. T. Clinton, of the Methodist Church at Irvington, Indiana, created a sensation at the meeting of the Methodist Ministers' Association yesterday when he presented a paper on the subject, "The Itinerance Method of the Methodist Church." He said that he had sent out 100 letters to Methodist ministers asking a series of questions among which was:

"Does place-seeking exist among us, and to what extent?" He received eighty-four replies, and the gist of these was incorporated in his address. Among many that he quoted was the following:

"There is unholy scheming for position where the larger salary is the chief reason for such scheming."

"Those only on the inside get the coveted place."

"Some of us who don't seek place get almost no place."

"Unless I am in error, some of those in high place and in greatest authority set the wrong example, teaching the young men that success comes by wire-pulling."

"Most of the leaders are scheming at self, and we can only rise in the same way."

"I venture that able men not a few have given more thought this year to elderships than to saving souls."

"Our conferences have become as bad as political conventions for wire-pulling."

"Seventy-five per cent. are looking for better places, regardless of fitness."

Many of the ablest ministers in the church were present and heard the paper, and all agreed that the sentiments expressed were too true.

Thank Ancestors' Spirits.
A dispatch from Tokio says that official translation of the Imperial rescript announcing the conclusion of peace has been made. Among other things set forth are the following:

"The result is due in a large measure to the benign spirit of our ancestors as well as to the devotion to duty of our civil and military officials and the self-denying patriotism of all our people."

"Peace and glory having been thus secured, we are happy to invoke the blessing of the benign spirits of our ancestors and to be able to bequeath the fruits of these great deeds to our posterity. It is our earnest desire to share the glory with our people, and long enjoy the blessings of peace with all nations."

"Russia again is the friend of Japan and we sincerely desire that the relations of good neighborhood, now re-established, shall become both cordial and intimate."

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Wrote Scandals on the Sand.
The season at one of the French watering places has ended in a dreadful scandal. One morning the sands at low water were found to be inscribed with a series of libelous statements about the most prominent visitors. The flirtations of this lady, the changing tints of that lady's hair, the secrets of a third lady's bathing costume, the matrimonial prospects of a dashing young lieutenant, were all written in sand with great candor. Next day there was a second writing, and so the budge continued, despite all efforts to detect the culprit.

A watch was set, but the watchers must have slept, for in the morning, when visitors took their promenade, there were more libelous warnings to the seaside Beldam. In the end these afflicted persons took themselves off, vowing they would never return.

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Blumont Branch Schedules.
Effective Monday, October 17, 1905, Southern Railway will make following changes in schedules on Blumont branch:

No. 125 and 126, daily except Sunday, to be taken off.

No. 129 and 130, Sunday only, to be taken off.

No. 127, daily except Sunday, to be made daily.

No. 119, Sunday only, to be taken off.

No. 124, leaving Blumont 6:25 p. m., daily to leave Blumont 4:50 p. m.; arrive at Washington 7:20 p. m., instead of 7:50 p. m. as at present.

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OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAIL.
Northern mails, week days, close at 7:15, 8:55 and 11:00 a. m., and 2:00, 6:10, 8:25 and 10:30 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m., and 4:30 p. m. On Sunday Northern mails close at 9:00 a. m., 2:00 p. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7:10 and 10:30 a. m., and 2:00, 8:35 and 10:30 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

Southern mails via Richmond, close at 10:30 a. m., and 3:30, 6:10 and 10:30 p. m. Open at 8:30 a. m., 12:00 m., and 4:00 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7:15 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. Open at 12:00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7:30 a. m. and 4 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Cheapeake and Ohio mails close at 8:20 p. m., 10:30 and 11:00 a. m., and 3:30, 6:10, 8:25 and 10:30 p. m. Open at 8:30 a. m., 12:00 m., and 4:00 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8:00 a. m. Close at 8:00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 10:00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—8:30 and 10:30 a. m., and 5:30 p. m. Full route—8:30 a. m., and 5:30 p. m. Sunday collection 5:00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9:00 a. m. and close 10:00 a. m.

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All wool Fancy Cloth Suitings, 50c value at 38c yard.
Ladies' New Fall Jackets, \$3.98, \$4.98 to \$15.98.

Children's Coats, \$1.98 to \$6.98.
Flannellette Wrappers, \$1.00 value at 75c.
White Madras Waists, 75c value at 50c.
Molair, Waist, Black and Navy, \$1.50 value at 98c.

Lace Curtains, \$1.25 value at 98c.
Lace Curtains, \$2.98 value at 1.98.
1 case Curtain Ends, 25c piece.
Couch Covers, \$1.50 value at 1.19.
Large White Blanket, \$1.25 value at 98c.
White Wool Mixed Blankets, \$1.50 value at 98c.

Bed Comforts, \$1.00 value at 75c.
Embroidered Shams and Scarfs, 38c value at 25c.
Heavy Brown Cotton, 42c yard.
Yard wide fine brown cotton, at 6c yard.
Yard wide bleached cotton remnants, at 6c yard.

Yard wide bleached cotton remnants, 8 and 10c values at 6c yard.
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Infants' White Flannel, 10c value 15c yard.
All-wool Bed Towel Flannel, at 5c yard.
Light Outings, 3c value at 5c yard.
Extra Heavy Canton Flannel, 12c value at 10c yard.

Berkley Longcloth, 15c value at 12c yard.
Berkley Cambrics, 15c value at 12c yard.
Union Label Towels, 8c value at 5c.
Apron Gingham, 12c value at 8c.
Table Oil Cloth, 18c value at 15c yard.
White Drapery Swives, 10c values at 5c yard.

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Men's Heavy Fleece Underwear, 45c value at 30c.
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Ladies Extra Fine All Wool Flat Underwear, Vests and Pants, each 1.50.

Ladies Gray, Part Wool, Flat Underwear, Vests and Pants, each 75c.

Ladies Scarlet Underwear, part wool, Vests and Pants, each 75c and 1.00.

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Men's Fall Weight Underwear, Shirts and Drawers, each 50c and 1.00.

Men's Camel Hair Underwear, part wool, Shirts and Drawers, each 75c.

Men's White and Grey Underwear, part wool, Shirts and Drawers, each 1.00.

Men's Fine Ribbed Underwear, wool fleece, Shirts and Drawers, each 1.00 and 1.50.

Men's Fine Ribbed Underwear, wool fleece, Shirts and Drawers, each 1.50 and 2.00.

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MEETINGS.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the HARMON S. PALMER HOLLOW CONCRETE BUILDING BLOCK COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 128 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, November 6, 1905 at three o'clock p. m. By order of the Board of Directors, CLYDE PALMER, Secretary.

PROPOSALS.
U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, 1000 22d St., Washington, D. C., Oct. 10, 1905. Sealed proposals for constructing terra cotta pipe sewers, catch basins, and manholes in Washington approach to highway bridge across Potomac River, Washington, D. C., will be received here until 12 M. Oct. 20, 1905, and then publicly open. Information on application to H. L. HOXIE, L. C. Engrs. Oct. 16, 17, 18, 19.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., October 14, 1905.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, P. M., Monday, October 23, 1905, for constructing a drainage system in the Arlington National Cemetery, Va. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Engineer in Charge, and information obtained on application to H. L. HOXIE, L. C. Engrs. right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Constructing Drainage System," and addressed to CAPTAIN A. W. BETT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, 1000 22d St., N. W., Washington, D. C., Sept. 21, 1905.—Sealed proposals for dredging in Breton Bay, Md., Crocoqua and Carters Creeks, and Marpoet and Pamunkey Rivers, Va., will be received here until 12 M., October 21, 1905, and then publicly open. Information on application. R. L. HOXIE, L. C. Engrs. Sept. 21, 22, 23, 25, Oct. 19, 20.

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TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 17, 1906.

THE REPUBLICAN meeting at the Opera House last night failed to enthrall or interest Alexandrians. In fact the promoters struck a frost. The audience was comparatively small, a number of well-known democrats composing part of it. Some ladies were present and several colored persons occupied seats in the gallery. Sambo seemed to realize that he had been relegated to the place whence he came when one of the speakers (Mr. Yost) made observations to the effect that the present issue in Virginia was between white men only. A drum corps paraded the streets, and though many tunes were made to float upon the October air, enthusiasm was wanting. At the door of the Opera House, where the meeting was held, circulars were distributed. They contained two pictures, one representing Judge Lewis distributing free books to school children and the other Mr. Swanson resurrecting dead issues. In the face of this Mr. Yost labored hard to interest his hearers in matters concerning schools on which readjusters harped a quarter of a century ago upon the tombstones of which moss has since grown. When the speakers and two or three of their friends fled on the stage the silence on the part of the audience was as pronounced as that at the burial of Sir John Moore. Mr. J. A. Eggborn, one of the many candidates for postmaster at this place, finally broke the silence by rising and introducing Mr. Park Agnew as the gentleman who was to preside. Mr. Agnew made a few remarks, confined mostly to the present prosperous condition of the country and attributing the same to republican administrations. Strange to say, he alleged that the forging ahead of Alexandria and the improved condition of King street were due to the same cause, and appealed to his hearers to compare the condition of that thoroughfare previous to 1896 to its present aspect. Chandler's motto was "Claim every thing," and the party seems to be adhering to it. Mr. Yost was finally introduced and he labored hard to induce his audience to believe that education should be the paramount issue in this campaign. He read tedious statistics, was severe on what he termed political machines, said democracy was unchanged and that Virginia was behind other States. He was followed by Mr. J. B. Henderson, candidate for the Legislature, who spoke calmly and dispassionately concerning matters which play but little part in the campaign. Mr. W. B. King, of Loudoun, was the last speaker. He threshed over much that the other speakers had said. The audience by this time had become somewhat depleted, and shortly after ten o'clock the meeting adjourned. There was nothing said that could not have been disproved, although Mr. Yost had previously thirsted for a joint discussion with some representative democrat. His assertion that Virginia is behind the times is not borne out by facts. The State has made remarkable progress during the past twenty years, or since it emerged from the political quagmire of 1879-1883.

IN THE first of a series of anti-election statements from prominent republicans to be sent out by the city party in Philadelphia, Mr. Wayne MacVeagh, one of the most conspicuous men that the republicans in Pennsylvania have recently produced, flayed the "gang" unmercifully, and by inference he also attacked railroad and other corporations with equal vehemence for their support of the "gang" leaders. Mr. MacVeagh was formerly Attorney General of the United States. These are his words:

Whoever helps to destroy the only basis in a republic for respect for law—a pure ballot and honest suffrage—by buying votes with money or office or any other form of corruption, is a traitor to the free institutions that our fathers founded, and his proper place is in the penitentiary; and whoever, in view of the appalling revelations of these days, continues to furnish political managers with the means of such corruption ought to be clothed in the same garb and occupy the same prison.

All honest men will indorse what Mr. MacVeagh says, but many think he was late in saying it. He is old enough to know that the very life of the republican party is fraud and corruption at elections and graft in office.

THE War Department is becoming tired of hearing of the personal indebtedness of army officers, and so numerous are that complaints against these delinquent delinquents, it is said, will be taken to compel them to pay their bills at the risk of dismissal. If such an order should really be entered and enforced, the President would be kept busy for some time filling vacancies in the army.

THE democrats of Alexandria, need not hold a mass meeting to offset the "favorable effect" of the republican meeting of last night. If a single vote was made by last night's meeting, it is not known.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt and their party will start on their southern tour at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Mrs. Roosevelt plans to go only as far south as Rowell, Ga., the home of the President's mother; the President and the rest of the party will continue down the coast to St. Augustine, Fla., and then westward to Little Rock, Ark. After leaving Little Rock the Presidential party will return to Memphis, where the President, his secretary, physician and stenographer will take a train for New Orleans on the evening of the 25th. The others will return to Washington on the same special train which bore them south and west. The President will spend most of the 26th at New Orleans and will board the cruiser West Virginia for Norfolk at 6 p. m. At Norfolk he will leave the West Virginia and his flag will be transferred to the Mayflower, his own yacht, which will bring him back to Washington. If schedule time is made the President will reach the capital on the return trip on the 30th. During the tour the President will make a number of speeches bearing on the problems of the day. It is expected that in these speeches he will again lay before the country his views on the railroad rate question which he intends to "put up to" Congress during the coming session, and may also touch on tariff revision, regulation of insurance companies, and other subjects near to his heart. All indications point to a record breaking reception for the President throughout the south. The authorities of the fever infected district about New Orleans will make extraordinary precautions to protect the President from the disease. His car and his rooms in the hotel will be fumigated and screened to exclude the mosquito, and Dr. Rixey, his physician on the trip, will be on constant guard to advise and act in case of emergency.

Advices from Manila to the War Department are to the effect that Major General Corbin, commanding the Philippine division will be splendidly entertained during his Australian tour with Mrs. Corbin. In Sydney they will be the guests of Admiral Rawson, the Governor of New South Wales. From Sydney they will proceed to Melbourne, where they will spend several days as the guests of Lord Northcote, governor-general of the commonwealth of Australia. Other points will be visited and the general will be absent from Manila about two months. Major General Leonard Wood will command the division in the absence of General Corbin.

After the consultation with the Dominican government with their concurrence, as an assistance to them in enforcing the regulations designed to prevent the pernicious revolutionists of the island from getting warlike supplies, President Roosevelt has issued a proclamation prohibiting the export of arms, ammunition, and munitions of war of every kind from the United States or Porto Rico to any port in the Dominican Republic.

According to Special Agent Crist, now in the Orient under the orders of the Department of Commerce and Labor, the entire field traversed by the Japanese army in the recent war has been vigorously exploited by the exportation of cotton goods and yarns, tobacco, teas, matches, mineral waters, vegetables, canned goods and numerous other articles. He continues in his report to say that on every hand it is apparent that the great effort now on the part of the Japanese is to take complete commercial possession of the immense Manchurian, north China and Korean markets by exporting to those countries every commodity now purchased there. Many articles are spurious imitations of American goods and are offered under false trade marks. The great mass of patrons cannot distinguish the genuine from the spurious. He urges the use of Chinese characters in American trade marks for goods, even when offered in the Japanese market.

As a result of a statement made by Sadie Voight, a domestic employed at 1711 S street northwest, the police last night arrested Dr. Edward Leon of 451 Missouri avenue, who is charged with criminal malpractice. The dead infant has been sent to the morgue, where an inquest will be held today. Dr. Leon later gave bond and was released. He makes an emphatic denial of the charge, says he never saw the girl and never in his life used such medicine as was given in this case.

The State Department has no advice confirmatory of the press dispatches printed this morning announcing the sailing of a fleet of five French warships for Martinique in connection with the trouble in Venezuela. The squadron is under the command of Admiral de Peyriere and will await orders at the French naval headquarters in Martinique before proceeding to make any demonstration in Venezuelan waters. At the State Department it is said that this government still hopes that the difference between the United States and France with Venezuela will be settled peacefully and without resort to hostile measures. It is hoped that President Castro will prove conciliatory and will effect an arrangement satisfactory to France of his difficulty with M. Taigny, the French chargé at Caracas, with whom he has refused to have further diplomatic dealings.

The President today decided upon an amendment to the civil service rules which will hereafter permit Cabinet officers to summarily discharge any employee in their department for inefficiency or misconduct, when such is known personally to the Cabinet officer concerned. Under the rule heretofore in force an employee in such circumstances was entitled to a hearing before discharge.

Secretary of War Taft and party will sail from Hampton Roads for Panama on October 27th, arriving at Colon about November 3d. It is now the plan that the Secretary shall go to and return on the U. S. S. Columbia. He will remain on the isthmus until November 9th. Secretary Taft will invite the members of the House and Senate committees on Panama to be a part of his party. When Secretary Taft goes to the isthmus he will be accompanied by the special committee on fortifications of the "Taft board" appointed last spring to revise the general plan for coast defenses of the United States and its insular possessions. This committee, while on the isthmus, will make plans for fortifying the terminals of the canal as provided for by the treaty with Great Britain and the Republic of Panama. It is the purpose of Secretary Taft to submit to Congress with the report of his board a scheme for fortifying the terminals of the canal and it is hoped by him that work on the fortifications can proceed simultaneously with the construction of the canal itself.

Chief Chemist H. W. Wiley, of the Department of Agriculture, has completed his report on the quality of butter submitted to him as part of a large quantity supplied to the League Island Navy Yard, of Philadelphia,

and will lay it before Secretary Wilson during the day. It is understood that the report of Dr. H. H. Warren, state dairy and food commissioner, that the samples were specimens of oleo colored with coal tar dye will be confirmed by Dr. Wiley. The report will not be made public until, at least, after it is submitted to the Department of Justice. The samples were taken from a second class steamer ship Lancaster, several cruises, battleships and monitors and from the barracks at the yard. Chemists have disputed the character of the stuff samples, two arrests following the report of one of the chemists, Dr. Warren. So great was the controversy that for final determination the samples were submitted to Dr. Wiley for analysis.

Robert H. Batten was today appointed postmaster at Albano, Orange county, Va., vice J. H. Cunningham, resigned.

News of the Day.

Five vessels with 100,000 bunches of bananas, arrived at Baltimore yesterday from the West Indies and Central American ports.

The motion to advance the hearing in the case of the State of Kentucky vs. James Howard, convicted of complicity in the murder of Governor Goebel, made in the Supreme Court of the United States last Tuesday, was yesterday denied by the court.

Seventeen passengers, one of whom may die, were injured yesterday by the wrecking of the westbound St. Louis Denver flyer on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, near Sugar City, sixty miles east of Pueblo. The accident was caused by spreading rails. The last three cars, a Pullman sleeper, a tourist sleeper, and a day coach, were overturned.

Charles Dana Gibson will soon say good-bye to America, and to a large degree to work in black and white. He is going to Europe to become a student again and to work in colors. For twenty years his desire has been to be a portrait painter, and now, at last, he is in a position to gratify this ambition. Mr. Gibson intends to remain away about three years.

Baron Rosen, the Russian Ambassador yesterday received by the President, to whom he presented "a confidential message of thanks" from the Emperor. It is understood the message concerned the cordial tone of the President's recent note accepting the invitation of Emperor Nicholas to the Washington government to participate in a second peace conference at The Hague.

The First Presbyterian Church, at McKee's Rocks, a West End suburb of Pittsburgh, was blown up by natural gas about noon yesterday and demolished. The explosion is said to have been the result of a leak in the basement of the building, which was sought by the janitor with a lighted candle. David Leadley, the janitor, was badly burned by the flames and was caught under the crumbling walls, but was not fatally hurt. The loss was about \$5,000.

With her head resting on a bank of flowers intended for the funeral of another child, eight-year-old Isabel Walker was carried Sunday night in Chicago by the automobile, which had struck and fatally injured her, to the office of a physician, where she died on the pillow of white roses. The girl was fatally injured while crossing Ashland Boulevard. L. F. Stevens, driver of the machine was arrested. Mr. Stevens, with his brother, Thomas E. Stevens, was hurrying to the home of a friend, and his brother held in his arms a huge floral pillow for the funeral of the friend's little daughter.

While her boarders were at dinner yesterday Mrs. Buehler, Butler by St. George, St. L., suddenly excused herself, and, going to her room, shot herself through the head with a revolver. When Mrs. Buehler left the table her daughter Maud followed her upstairs and asked her if she was ill. Mrs. Buehler replied that she was tired of life and was going to kill herself, and the girl, thinking that her mother was only joking, returned to the dining room. A moment later a shot was heard, and when the door of the room was opened Mrs. Buehler was found dead. It is supposed that she had become despondent through grief over the death of her son, a young trader, who was accidentally killed last winter.

Honors to Komura.

Baron Komura, the foreign minister, who acted as chief plenipotentiary for Japan, arrived in Tokyo yesterday. His reception at the railroad station was not enthusiastic, those present being principally government dignitaries. The streets were strongly guarded by troops, police and gendarmes.

The Emperor showed exceptional honor to Komura by dispatching to Yokohama, where he landed from the Empress of India, Colonel Inouye, His Majesty's aide-de-camp, who went along side the steamer in a dispatch boat and brought Komura ashore. Baron Komura lauded at the imperial inclosure.

While the Baron was on his way to Tokyo by train Colonel Inouye constantly kept at Komura's side, and on arrival at Tokyo they drove together to the palace in an imperial carriage sent from the household stables. The Emperor immediately received Baron Komura, and during the audience, which lasted over an hour, it is believed the Baron made a full verbal report to the Emperor of the course of the peace negotiations, emphasizing President Roosevelt's efforts in behalf of peace.

At the close of the audience the Emperor honored the Baron with a written personal message, highly prized by Japanese statesmen. The message expressed satisfaction at the fact that peace was concluded and commended Komura's able services as shown during the negotiations.

Scottish Rite Masons.

The Supreme Council of Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masons met in biennial session in Washington yesterday. The council has jurisdiction over Scottish Rite Masonry in the Southern States, all these west of the Mississippi, all the territories and dependencies of the United States, the army and navy, China and Japan. The council is composed of one deputy from each jurisdiction, elected for life, 26 in all. They were all present with the exception of Senator Teller, of Colorado, who was kept away by the recent death of his brother. Deputy Pratt, who was stricken with paralysis upon his arrival here, is reported better, but not able to attend the council. The session was called to order yesterday by the grand commander, James D. Richardson, of Tennessee. Adjournment was taken at once that the members of the council might pay their respects to President Roosevelt. The session of the council is to continue throughout the week. The work consists of legislation necessary for the good of the order. The sessions are being held in the home of the Temple.

Virginia News.

Charles Goodloe, son of Mr. J. O. Goodloe, died at his father's home in Orange county Saturday.

Major Thos. P. Wallace, mayor of Fredericksburg, is suffering with a second stroke of apoplexy and his condition is regarded as serious.

The residence of Edward Marple, one of the finest country homes in the vicinity of Winchester, was burned to the ground Saturday night while the family was away.

In the football game at Lexington, Virginia Military Institute and Randolph-Macon College yesterday played to a standstill in 20 and 15 minute halves.

Mr. William E. Love, an ex-Confederate soldier and a prominent citizen of Prince William county, died last Wednesday. He is survived by three sons and three daughters.

Rev. Dr. D. M. Gillett, a prominent minister of the Lutheran Church, formerly of Winchester, died yesterday at Harrisburg, Pa., where he had been pastor of a church about twelve years.

John Burke, the most generally known colored man of King George county, was found dead in his bed in his humble little home, near the court-house village, on Saturday morning. It is the opinion of the undertaker, who took charge of the remains, that the old darkey had been dead at least four days.

The stack yard of Horace T. Burgess, on the farm of W. E. Gaines, near Warrenton, caught fire yesterday from the engine and a total loss of straw and wheat resulted. The loss of wheat is estimated at about 1,400 bushels and 200 bushels of oats. It was with difficulty that the thresher was saved.

President Roosevelt has assured Hon. H. St. George Tucker, the new president of the Jamestown Exposition, that he will do everything in his power to have a good sized appropriation made by Congress for the exposition proposed for Jamestown, Va., in 1907. The President promised Mr. Tucker that he would mention the matter in his message to Congress.

The Medical Society of Virginia, which will meet in Norfolk October 24-27, in its twenty-sixth annual session, will have more than three-score papers from leading members of the organization. Reading and discussing these papers will be the continuous order of business after the business of the body is concluded on Wednesday. The convention will adjourn Friday.

Mrs. Lucy Gray Brown died suddenly of apoplexy Monday morning, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary C. Roy, in Fredericksburg, aged 74 years. The deceased was the widow of the late Rev. William Brown, D. D., a distinguished divine of the Presbyterian church, and daughter of the late C. C. Wellford, for many years prior to the war of 1861-65 a prominent merchant of Fredericksburg.

Jury Adjourned.

As a result of a difficulty the coroner's inquest on the death of Miss Emma Smallwood was adjourned at Hyattsville, Md., yesterday evening without any action. Winfield Scott Hancock being remanded to jail without bail till today, when the investigation will be resumed. From start to finish the proceedings were exciting, a personal encounter between one of the counsel for the defense and one of the jury being a side issue, Mayor Charles A. Wells also taking part in the combat.

The outstanding question arose on the question as to whether the hearing should be public or of the star-chamber order, counsel for Hancock insisting that the proceedings be public, while State Attorney M. Hampton Magruder argued emphatically for a session behind closed doors. Both sides were determined, and neither would yield. Coroner Arthur Carr eventually deciding the dispute in favor of the State's Attorney, but deferring to the defense sufficiently to adjourn the hearing until today.

With this point settled, a request was made to the coroner to fix bail for the prisoner, Mr. Carr at first acceding and naming \$1,000 as the amount of the bond, but later receding from this position and declining to release Hancock on any bail whatever, whereupon counsel for the prisoner averred their intention of refusing to go on at a private examination today and declared that they would obtain a writ of habeas corpus on which to secure their client's release.

The prisoner, who was last night secretly removed from the jurisdiction of the State of Maryland, was not present when the coroner's jury met today. The people at Hyattsville are demanding to know of his whereabouts.

It is said that the defense has a trump card up its sleeve, and some sensational developments are looked for before the jury adjourns today.

Governor Montague Writes.

Gov. Montague, of Virginia, in a letter received yesterday in Baltimore by the Constitutional Amendment Committee, commented on the operations in Virginia of the "understanding clause," of that Constitution, which clause, it is claimed, is identical with the one in the pending Maryland amendment, as follows:

"This provision of our Constitution was operative between July 10, 1902, and January 1, 1904, during which time the negro vote was quite largely eliminated. The effects of this elimination have, of course, been very beneficial to our people, and we look for much greater advantages as time progresses. The elimination of this vote was necessary to insure fair elections in our State and to bring about a general toning up of the ethics of our politics, and is greatly promoted by our new Constitution."

Mr. McCallan's Prospect.

Mayor George B. McCallan, of New York, told a Virginia member of Congress six years ago that he would receive the Tammany nomination to the mayoralty in the fall of 1903, that he would accept it, and would be elected; that he would receive the democratic nomination to the governorship of New York, that he would accept, and hoped to be elected, and that in 1908 he would be nominated by the democrats to the Presidency. Of course, he said he would accept the nomination.

A head-on collision on the Valley division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, south of Franklin, Pa., early this morning resulted in the death of Engineer Keating, of Oil City. The failure of Keating to observe his orders was the cause of the wreck. Both trains were freight.

Today's Telegraphic News

Excitement in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Oct. 17.—Under the influence of impassioned speeches directed against the organization leaders, a crowd of several thousand men angrily marched from in front of the Academy of Music to the house of Israel W. Durham and Senator McNichol last night, following the reception to Governor Folk. For two hours the crowds had stood in the streets while city party orators rehearsed the iniquities of the machine and then some one shouted, "Let's move on Durham." As the Academy poured out its throngs there was a rush down Broad street to the home of Mr. Durham, 1410 Spruce street. Singing "Let's hang Durham to the sour apple tree" and similar inciting songs, the mob became more dense and more terrible. Fully 3,000 strong men and women as well, some of whom had rushed from the hotels and the Academy, crowded into Spruce street, while the leaders of the mob denounced Durham. Never in the annals of Philadelphia politics, which was such an aroused public opinion shown, as was hurled at the leaders of the organization at the very threshold of his home. The street was packed from curb to curb with a howling, angry mob that would have done violence had the occasion offered. The police were powerless to restrain their denunciation, and when they saw the temper of the leaders they contented themselves with keeping order as best they could.

The fury of the crowd was let loose when the leader lustily denounced Durham as a thief. There was a rush for the door, but some clear headed speaker restrained them by saying that Durham had not yet moved into his new home. "Lead the way to McNichol's," yelled a man in the heart of the mob. A city party transparency was picked up somewhere on the line of march, and the mob sang and shouted as it hurried along to West Logan square. The great mob stretched out before Senator McNichol's mansion like an open fan, and one of his sons braved the crowd by coming in to the vestibule to hear what might be said against the contractor. "If these were the days of the Commune, you, my lad, would be hauled out of that house and hanged to the nearest tree," shouted the evangelist, as he waved his arms above his head and implored the mob to hear him. Your father, lad, is a thief. The house you live in was built with lumber stolen from the poor, and your father will do well to prepare to meet his God," continued the agitator, who had despaired of making the mob hear him and who was addressing the boy in the hall, who was there as if to keep the McNichol flag flying and to show that one soul in that house was not afraid.

From McNichol's house, the crowd, ever growing, surged east in Race street, but for the inquirer office at Twelfth and Market. The leader, apparently awe-inspired by the proportions and spirit their following assumed, sent the transparency down a side street. But the crowd marched on. Instead of thinning out it formed in solid marching order on Broad street, and pressed on the Inquirer office building, until the megaphone man was jammed up against the big front office window. From this place of vantage, he led the cheers for Mayor Weaver, Governor Folk, and all the city party candidates. The crowd crossed to the south side of Market street and later called on Governor Folk who addressed the crowd and was heartily cheered.

Capture of British Officers. Tangier, Morocco, Oct. 17.—The capture of two British officers of Marines by a band of brigands is officially confirmed. The prisoners in the hands of the tribesmen are Captain Crowther, of a sloop Cormorant, and Lieutenant Patton of the battleship Victorious. The officers had made a trip inland and were returning when attacked and overpowered by the tribesmen. They are in the hands of a band of brigands headed by a notorious native nicknamed "El Valiente," whose brother is in prison here. El Valiente has declared that he intends to hold his prisoner until his brother is released. The British chargé d'affair, Mr. Smith, has personally protested to the acting Moroccan commissioners of foreign affairs on the capture of the officers and demanded their release. The commissioner in turn has instructed the Tetuan tribes to inquire as to the whereabouts of the captives and learn the terms upon which they will be released.

Slashes Self, Family Gazing On. Cleveland, Oct. 17.—While his wife and children, on bended knees, begged him to stop, Anton Peterling cut himself into stripes in his home here yesterday, because, he said, he had been "ordered" by heaven to mutilate his body and "bleed to death." He slashed his throat and face and his arms with a dirk until his clothes were soaked with blood. His face, arms and breast show the terrible effects of his frenzy. There is hardly a piece of skin visible on the left forearm. If he survives he will be sent to an insane asylum. When Peterling began slashing himself his wife and children caught him by the throat and legs, but he broke away from them and continued his slashing until he fell exhausted. Policemen arrived in time to prevent him from bleeding to death.

Explosion of Syphon. Genoa, Italy, Oct. 17.—The explosion of a syphon of oxygen in a chemist's shop here started a fire and resulted in the injury of half a dozen persons, some of whom are seriously hurt. The chemist was waiting upon a customer who wished the oxygen for the treatment of her husband who was dying. The syphon burst while the chemist was handling it and he threw the man into the street. The customer for whom the syphon was being prepared and an apprentice were knocked down by the force of the explosion, and their clothes were torn to shreds. Three other customers were seriously injured. A piece of the broken syphon struck one of the customers, ripping open his abdomen. Another was so badly injured that it was necessary to amputate his foot. The shop was wrecked, and its contents broken to fragments.

Isthmian Canal Commission. New York, Oct. 17.—The Isthmian Canal Commission and the board of consulting engineers arrived here today from Colon after a tour of inspection of the route for the proposed waterway. General George W. Davis, chairman of the consulting engineers, said that they made a careful inspection of the work on the land routes but have come to no decision as to the lock or sea level plan, and can say nothing about it until the report is made up some two or three weeks hence.

From Richmond. [Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.] Richmond, Oct. 17.—A meeting today resulted in the launching of a movement for organizing a great State fair association to be chartered in a few days. All street railway companies and the Travelers' Protective Association and other organizations are interested. The scheme is to embrace a horse show, stock and other exhibits and to have annual races at the same time.

Judge L. L. Lewis emphatically denies the statements made concerning him by Wm. A. Jones at Fredericksburg last night.

Believed Prince was Poisoned. Berlin, Oct. 17.—The Mittags Zeitung publishes a statement to the effect that Prince Trubetskoi, the liberal leader, who died suddenly in St. Petersburg, was poisoned by reactionary conspirators. Many high personages are said to be involved in the plot against Prince Trubetskoi. There was a dramatic scene in the cathedral at Moscow, when the body was placed there to lie in state. During the religious ceremonies, a friend of the dead leader shouted: "We demand a post mortem examination." The 2,000 persons in the congregation echoed this demand and a riotous scene was enacted in the cathedral. Subsequently the coffin was reopened and the body was dissected. Official assurances were given that death was due to natural causes, as was announced when the Prince died, but the statements are not believed.

Bank Thief Shows How. Lima, Ohio, Oct. 17.—With bank police officials as onlookers, Elijah Bowser, arrested last week for the robbery of the American National Bank here of \$12,000 eight years ago, for which two innocent men were sent to prison, yesterday showed how he did the job. He made a complete confession.

He was then locked in the vault in the bank, taking with him a pipe wrench, screw driver and calipers. Theodore was bolted, but in five minutes he had worked his way out. Eight years ago he slipped into the vault unseen with similar tools, and as soon as the bank officials had looked up and gone home came out with all the money the vault contained.

Brothers Married Three Sisters. Chicago, Oct. 17.—When William B. Kastor, of Chicago, married Miss Cecilia Bearman, of St. Joseph, Mo., he was the third of three brothers to become the husband of a Bearman sister. Furthermore, there are said to be two unmarried brothers of Mr. Kastor who are attentive to the two remaining Misses Bearman. The marriage of Louis Kastor to Miss Beatrice Bearman was the first celebrated, followed soon, however, by the marriage of his brother, Richard, to Miss Rose Bearman. When H. W. Kastor, father of the Kastor brothers, was the editor of a St. Joseph paper, his sons made the acquaintance of the daughters of Mrs. W. D. Bearman, widow of a wealthy Wyoming banker. The three marriages were the result.

Negro Lynched. London, Ky., Oct. 17.—A crowd of armed and masked men from Knox county, rode into London, last night, and, at revolver points, forced the jailer to give up a negro who had been given a life sentence. The mob hanged him to an apple tree. They pinned a note on the negro telling why they lynched him. The negro was tried twice, the first jury disagreeing, and the second gave him a life sentence.

Mr. Bryan Welcomed in Tokio. Tokio, Oct. 17.—A warm welcome was extended to Wm. J. Bryan by members of the Japanese-American society upon his arrival here today. A dinner was tendered him by the society at the Maple Club, and tomorrow morning he will speak at the Waseba Club. It is expected that he will be granted an audience by the Mikado.

Sinking of Submarine. London, Oct. 17.—A dispatch to the Central News from Portsmouth says that before the submarine A-4 which was the victim of an accident yesterday could be dry docked this morning, she suddenly sank. All efforts to raise the vessel so far have proved fruitless. No one was aboard the submarine when she took her unexpected plunge.

Grocery Store Dynamited. New York, Oct. 17.—Following the receipt of two black hand letters this morning demanding money under threat of death, the grocery store of Giambro Brothers, at 13 Stanton street, was dynamited early today. The explosion blew out the front of the store, and the five story structure above it so violently that the occupants were hurled from their beds, shivered every pane of glass in the block of tenement houses bordering the street and the Bowery and created a panic for blocks around. The explosion was heard in the Eldridge street station, several blocks away, and the result turned out to be a search for a 17-year-old Italian lad who believed to have placed the bomb at the grocery store, as he was seen running from the place moments before the explosion. The explosion caused a panic among the residents of the neighborhood and a few minutes after the blast went off the streets were filled with throngs of excited Italians who rushed out in their nightclothes. After much effort the police reserves quelled the excitement.

Accident at Steel Works. Genoa, Italy, Oct. 17.—As the result of an unusual accident, which occurred today at the Savona Steel Works, four persons were fatally injured, and the factory was destroyed. An enormous column of smoke and molten metal broke while it was directly over a well of water. A workman losing his head, precipitated the electric bridge into the molten mass, and it was carbonized. Four workmen received fatal injuries in the accident. Fire broke out following the accident, and destroyed the foundry.

Russian Finances. Birmingham, Oct. 17.—The Post is authority for the statement that the Russian Ministry of Finance is preparing a full statement of the nation's finances. Figures will be given showing the cost of the war with Japan, as well as all internal and external loan obligations. As soon as the statement is prepared a definite contract for a new loan will be made.

New York Stock Market. New York, Oct. 17.—Prices of nearly all the active stocks made steady gains during the first hour. Exceptional advances were made in a number of high-priced specialties. Arbitrage brokers said that London was dull and rather easier. So far, they have sold 10,000 shares here on the advance for London account. Commission business is small and the transactions to a great extent, so far, have been purely professional.

Storm in North Sea. Hamburg, Oct. 17.—A terrific northwest storm, accompanied by rain and hail, has been raging in the North Sea for four days. Many vessels have foundered or been damaged.

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France and Venezuela.

Paris, Oct. 17.—The mobilization of a French naval squadron, under the command of Admiral Martinie, which is generally understood has been decided upon, is regarded as a precautionary measure so that France will be prepared to act against Venezuela in case of hostilities which would make it necessary to make a demonstration to enforce French claims in regard to the recognition of the French representative at Caracas and to force a settlement of the dispute over the cancellation of the concession of the French cable company. No descent upon Venezuela has been ordered immediately, however, and the government still has hope that President Castro will recognize his danger and yield before it becomes necessary for France to resort to desperate measures. Consequently Castro will be allowed a bit more rope to give him an opportunity to arrange a peaceable settlement of the disputed points at issue. The departure of the cruiser Desaix, from Cherbourg, for Fort de France has been confirmed. She will be joined by the Lavoisier, and Jurien de La Graviere, as well as the Chasseloup Laubat, to which orders were telegraphed last week not to disarm, as had been intended. The Troube may also join the squadron. It is understood here that the warships will be held at Fort de France, until it is found that nothing less than a demonstration will move Castro.

Cleared of Charge of Murder. Baltimore, Oct. 17.—The fact that Gee Ott got into trouble and was brought before Judge Dobler April 18, 1898, and fined \$50, has probably cleared him of the charge of murdering Don Guon Yiu in Camden, N. J., on the above mentioned date.

Yesterday afternoon one Ny Poo Lee came over from Camden to tell the Baltimore courts how he had seen Gee Ott and Hom Yin Kaim choke and beat Don Guon Yiu over the head with an iron bar in the latter's laundry in Camden. He said he had said nothing about the matter for seven years as he could not make himself understood. The accused Chinaman then produced local police officers and the court records to show that Gee Ott was before Judge Dobler on the date mentioned, which occurrence was recalled by the judge himself.

Then Attorney Smith took occasion to say that if the identification was wrong in the case of Ott, it was probably false as to Hom Yin Kaim.

After consultation with the two attorneys the judge stated that he thought the case was one of mistaken identity and he granted the writ of habeas corpus asked for by the counsel of the accused.

They walked out of the court free men and the New Jersey detectives returned to Camden without their prospective prisoners.

Investigating Committee. New York, Oct. 17.—When the legislative insurance investigating committee resumed this morning James McKean, associate counsel of the committee, said that at the last hearing Mr. James M. Beck, counsel for the Mutual Life, had stated through President McCurdy, then on the stand, that the Mutual Life had assets that exceeded the Bank of England, the Bank of France and of Germany. "We have received by cable the assets of these banks as well as salaries paid to two of the officers of these banks," said Mr. McKean.

The assets of the Bank of England are \$1,232,000,075; of the Bank of France are \$611,554,725; and the Imperial Bank of Germany, \$472,945,000, with a total of \$2,326,675,472. The assets of the Mutual are \$440,938,371 in December, 1904. The assets of the three banks exceed those of the Mutual by \$1,785,596,334. The salaries paid to the leading officials of the Imperial Bank of Germany is \$30,000, and that paid to the chief governor of the Bank of England is \$10,000. The salary of the leading official of the Bank of France we have not at hand.

Mr. Beck asked and said that no one knew from whom the cablegrams came and that they should be disregarded. He said

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TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 17, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:12 a. m. and sets at 5:19 p. m. High water at 10:27 a. m. and 10:44 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section partly cloudy to-night and Wednesday; light to fresh east to southeast winds.

Republican Meeting.

A comparatively small audience assembled at the Opera House last night in response to a call for a republican rally. A drum corps discoursed a number of tunes in attempts to draw a crowd, but "Bent Bolt" and "Annie Laurie," failed to inspire enthusiasm. An Indian medicine man took up a position in front of the hall and expatiated on his panacea for all physical ills, while the speakers in the hall as vehemently proclaimed their cures for everything serious or unseemly supposed to be affecting the body politic.

About 8 o'clock Messrs. Jacob Yost, John B. Henderson, Park Agnew, J. A. Egghorn, and others took seats on the stage. The audience made no acknowledgment of their presence. A few colored men occupied seats in the gallery and later listened to significant observations concerning the elimination of the negro from politics and the fact that the issues of the day were between white men.

Chairman Frank M. Phillips, of the city committee was not present, and Mr. Egghorn called the meeting to order and introduced Mr. Agnew, who, it was announced would preside.

Mr. Agnew advanced and was received with some applause. He made a short address in which he attributed the present prosperity of the country to republican policies. Mr. Agnew called special attention to changed conditions in Alexandria, and referred to the improvement of King street which, he said, had been brought about since 1886 when the republicans came into power.

Mr. Agnew subsequently introduced Mr. Yost, who spoke about an hour, on honest elections, changes in public schools, and united exertions toward developing the State. He attacked electoral boards and handled them unsparingly.

He dwelt long upon the Richmond incident in the recent primary election, referred to frauds in other cities where republicans as well as democrats were involved, and said he would prosecute all classes, irrespective of their political affiliation.

Mr. Yost was followed by Mr. Henderson, who is the republican nominee for the House of Delegates. His speech was brief, but he spoke in an easy way and with his voice at a low key. Mr. Henderson threshed over most of the subjects upon which Mr. Yost had labored. He said he belonged to the new era, or 20th century party, and paid a deserved tribute to Mr. Catton, the democratic candidate, during the delivery of his speech.

At the conclusion of Mr. Henderson's remarks Mr. W. B. King, of Loudoun, made a brief speech, after which the meeting adjourned.

River Notes.

The United States army quartermaster's department tug Gibbon, which received a general overhauling of boiler, machinery and hull at the shipyard preparatory to being sent to one of the coast artillery stations on the south Atlantic for service, has left for Washington.

The tugboat Lieut. Alonzo Cushing is at the shipyard undergoing repairs.

The tugboat Earl Biscoe, which has been overhauled at the shipyard, was launched today.

The tugboat Dallas, belonging to the High Point Plantation Company, is at the shipyard for repairs.

The steamer Westmoreland, which was acquired by the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company when it purchased the Weems line steamers about a year ago, is to be sold, it is stated, to an excursion company doing business on the great lakes.

The Westmoreland is a side-wheel steamer and was for several years upon the route between this city and Baltimore, in conjunction with the steamers Potomac and Sue.

The U. S. Collier Caesar, which has been lying off this city since Saturday, sailed today.

The Servant Problem.

Many householders are again complaining of the servant problem. It is said that in some households it is impossible to procure suitable help. Young and trustworthy colored women are becoming scarcer every day, and in numerous instances householders are doing their own work, preferring this to being bothered by irresponsible colored persons. While such conditions exist, numbers of young colored women are loitering about the streets and questionable places. It is no easy matter to procure colored laborers at present. Occasionally agents of railroad companies or contractors come here ready to employ several hundred men at remunerative wages, and they consider themselves lucky if they succeed in inducing a dozen to accompany them.

Rolled Down Bank.

A baggage van loaded with 25 trunks, the property of a theatrical company, rolled down the north embankment of upper King street, near Spring Park, Saturday night about 12 o'clock while on the way to the new depot. It is said that fifteen men labored an hour and a half in getting the wagon up the hill and tying up trunks which had been broken open by the accident. Similar mishaps occur at this point every week or two, and it is time something was being done to render travel safe. The roadway in that vicinity is in Alexandria county and the supervisors could have the street raised and eliminate the danger spot.

Minstrels.

George Primrose and his famous minstrels began a week's engagement at the Columbia Theatre in Washington last night and gave a performance that was enjoyed from beginning to end. A number of Alexandrians were in the audience. All present seemed to be full of that spirit of hilarious good humor appropriate to such occasions. The entertainment consists of an exposition of old-time minstrelsy, with a glimpse of the modern article, and a little burlesque and spectacular to fill out the programme.

Alexandria Case.

The very interesting question relating to the ownership of Alexandria county will be argued before Judge Waddill, of the United States District Court, at 4 o'clock this afternoon by Commonwealth's Attorney Crandall Mackay and Attorney-General Anderson, on one side, and Mr. John A. Lamb, on the other. It will be recalled that Mr. Lamb recently brought up the case on a motion for a habeas corpus for the release of certain prisoners now held by State authorities in Alexandria county, alleging that Alexandria is a part of the District of Columbia, and not a part of Virginia. Messrs. Mackay and Anderson have moved the court to grant Mr. Lamb's motion, and on this case will be preliminarily heard today. If the motion to quash prevails that ends the case, unless it shall be appealed higher. If it is denied the court will take jurisdiction and set a day for hearing the matter on its merits. (Richmond Times Dispatch.)

Personal.

Col. John S. Mosby, now of Washington, is the guest of Mr. Bartlett Bolling near Charlottesville.

Mrs. J. S. Ballenger and children are visiting Mrs. Oline, in Richmond. Miss Emily Virginia Mason celebrated her eighty-eighth birthday on Sunday, in Georgetown, and her home was transformed into a bower of loveliness by flowers sent by hosts of friends. She is a daughter of the late Gen. John Thomson Mason, of Leesburg, Loudoun county, Va., where she was born.

Mrs. Josephine Robinson, of Fairfax county, left this morning for a visit to relatives—the Wests in Lynchburg.

Messrs. E. H. Carter, R. H. C. Beverly and E. L. Allen left here today for Chester, Pa., to attend the wedding tomorrow of Mr. George M. Carter, formerly of this city, and Miss Maybelle Mackay Hannum, of Chester.

The senior class of the Episcopal Theological Seminary this evening gave a reception to the junior class at the Seminary.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Helen Bengers, arrested by Officer Young charged with assaulting and beating Rose Anderson, was fined \$5.

Joseph Hayman, charged with conducting business without a license, was dismissed.

Public Speaking.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw and Mr. R. W. Blair, clerk in the U. S. Internal Revenue office for this district, will speak at a republican meeting to be held here on the night of October 30.

Collector Summers is on the stump in another part of the State. The office is being run by the clerks.

Euchre Party.

The euchre party given last night at the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum Hall by the Catholic Women's Benevolent Legion was an interesting affair throughout. There was a large attendance and all present spent a delightful evening. A number of pretty and useful prizes were awarded.

Asks a Divorce.

William T. Howe has petitioned the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to grant him a divorce from Martha E. Howe, to whom he was married in Alexandria, January 5, 1903. The petitioner charges that his wife deserted him February 9 last. He also names a correspondent.

The President's Tour.

President Roosevelt will pass through this city tomorrow morning about 9 o'clock on his southern tour. A special train of the Southern Railway will convey the Presidential party.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

M. B. Newman vs. H. L. Strider; motion to quash overruled and plaintiff took a new suit.

Com. vs. Gertrude Stewart; indicted for selling cocaine; case dismissed at cost of defendant.

J. D. Webster vs. L. C. Schwendeman; request for divorce; motion to set aside verdict sustained.

Brown Bros. Co. vs. T. B. Pulman; case set for hearing October 30th.

Samuel L. Bell vs. Carrie M. Bell; final decree for divorce.

May Boyce vs. George P. Boyce; final decree for divorce.

Benjamin F. Wheatley vs. Cora Lee Wheatley; decree allowing temporary alimony of \$20 per month.

All the candidates for office to be voted for at the November election have filed their notices with the clerk except Harvey Robinson for constable.

Property Sale.

Messrs. M. B. Harlow & Co., real estate, loan and insurance brokers, have sold for Mr. Park Agnew to Mr. F. L. Wagar, of Washington, the King street property recently purchased by Mr. Agnew. The sale of this property within the short time since Mr. Agnew purchased it proves the desirability of investment in Alexandria real estate, and the purchase by a non-resident shows his confidence in the future of the city. It is the purchaser's intention to carry out the improvements contemplated by Mr. Agnew.

Charters.

The Corporation Commission has granted these charters: The Bank of Marshall, Incorporated, Marshall, Fauquier county, Va. Incorporators—T. T. Adams, president; J. M. Reamey, vice president; both of Marshall, Va. Capital stock—Maximum, \$25,000; minimum, \$20,000. Objects and purposes—To conduct a bank of deposit and do a general banking business.

United Frederick and Clarke Telephone Company, Frederick county, Va. Incorporators—J. H. Funkhouser, president; Clarke county, Va.; P. M. Funkhouser, secretary and treasurer, Frederick county Va.; J. S. Haldean, stockholder, Frederick county, Va. Capital stock—Maximum, \$1,000; minimum, \$200. Objects and purposes—To maintain and operate a telephone line.

FURNITURE AND CONTENTS OF A seven-room house to be sold by the 22nd of the month at No. 515 Queen street. Private sale. oc16 3p

NOTICE.—The Board of Directors of the CHE. HEURICH BREWING CO., at their monthly meeting, October 10, 1905, declared a dividend of six per cent. on the capital stock of the company, payable on and after October 31, 1905, at the branch office, corner Twenty-sixth and Water streets, northwest, in the city of Washington, D. C. The books of the company for the transfer of stock will be closed from October 11 to November 2, 1905, both inclusive. CHARLES MEYER, Secretary.

TO WHOM THIS MAY CONCERN.—All who want carpets cleaned should call at 212 south Pitt street from 12 to 3 p. m., and see the agent. No agents will be left to sell the Earthquake Carpet Cleaner when Mrs. Haskins leaves Alexandria on the 23rd of this month. oc14 3p

LOCAL BEHAVIORS.

The Ladies of the Macabees will meet in their hall tonight at 7:30 o'clock. There will be business of interest brought before the hive.

Bishop Gibson of the Episcopal Diocese of Virginia will hold confirmation services at Meade Chapel this city tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

The Southern Railway Company has received three new and powerful switch engines. They are the first instalment of a number of such engines which have recently been ordered.

A meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Lee Camp will be held at the camp hall tonight at 8 o'clock. Business of importance will be transacted and a full attendance is requested.

Mr. R. D. Rodgers will reopen the Village Chapel, on Gibson street, between Alfred and Patrick, tonight. Meetings will be held every Tuesday night.

Dining room open every Sunday during off season. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space

New York Politics.

New York, Oct. 17.—District Attorney Jerome who is trying for re-election on an independent ticket, will begin his real campaign this week. It is expected that it will be as spectacular as was his fight four years ago when he did his utmost to elect Seth Low and the reform ticket.

Already the political atmosphere is growing thick and a storm is impending which may shake the regular organizations. Without the endorsement of a single organization Jerome is going it alone and his position has already created enthusiasm in some quarters. Mr. Jerome will formally open his campaign next Wednesday night in Carnegie Hall. Large mass meetings will follow in every section of the city.

Junior Order of Mechanics.

Bristol, Tenn., Oct. 17.—The annual State meeting of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics of Virginia, convened in Bristol Virginia, today, with upward of a hundred delegates in attendance. All parts of the State are represented. Public exercises were held this morning, and the business meeting followed.

Suicide Blames His Bride.

Leaving letters in which he blamed his bride of a year for driving him to suicide, Sidney A. Thompson, an employee of the Public Service Corporation, killed himself, by inhaling illuminating gas, in the boarding-house of Mrs. J. N. Clark, Newark, N. J.

Thompson made careful preparations to end his life and wrote three letters. One was addressed to the Newark police, one to his landlady, Mrs. Clark, and the third to his wife. On the envelope of the latter were written instructions that it be not opened until after his funeral. The letter to the police is as follows:

"I have taken my life because I cannot stand any more disgrace. For anything further I refer you to Mrs. J. N. Clark, for whom I have the greatest respect. Also to Mrs. Boyden, who has been as a second mother to me.

This is all I can say except that I made a mistake in marrying. She is welcome to the fool she made of me at times, but even at that, I am up sticks. You're now and in eternity.

S. A. THOMPSON.

The letter to Mrs. Thompson was sent to her with the news of her husband's death. She was greatly shocked, but declared that she was at a loss to account for her husband's action.

"We were married a year ago, and I was a good and dutiful wife to him," she said. "He acted queerly last summer, and in August he told me, saying he had a government position at Washington. I found that he had deserted me and had not left Newark."

Suffocated By Gas.

Mrs. Isabella Reamer, a well-known aged lady, and her sister, Mrs. Mary Sowers, wife of Peter Sowers, of near Fairfax, Washington county, Md., were found dead last night in an upstairs bedroom at the residence of Mrs. Reamer in Hagerstown, both having been accidentally asphyxiated by gas escaping from a tube leading to a gas-heating stove.

Mrs. Sowers was visiting her sister, staying with her during the absence of Lyman H. Reamer, who made his home with his mother.

The discovery was made by Mrs. Reamer's son, Professor Reamer, who returned last night from a business trip of several days in Baltimore. He went to the house, but was unable to enter, all the doors being locked. He finally broke the glass and effected an entrance through a window. Going up stairs, he found the bodies of his mother and aunt lying on the floor only a few feet from each other. Mrs. Reamer had on her hat and coat. Both had evidently been sitting on chairs when they were overcome and had fallen off, as each body lay beside a chair.

Marine Disaster.

The schooner Stillman F. Kelly arrived at Boston yesterday afternoon from a Georgia port, having on board the two survivors of the crew of the three-masted schooner Van Name and King, of New Haven, Conn., which went missing October 6, off Cape Hatteras, after being battered about and thrown on her beam ends in a fierce storm. The six other men who were on board the Van Name and King were lost, four of them going insane from hunger and thirst after drifting about on a piece of the unfortunate vessel's deck for two days. The two survivors of the disaster are William E. Warner and William Thomas, both colored, and natives of Antigua. The men who lost their lives were Capt. William H. A. Maxwell, of New Jersey; Mate E. A. Chase, residence unknown; the engineer, a German, name and residence unknown; the colored steward, name and residence unknown; William Griesel, and Alfred Arthur, both colored seamen.

Mysterious Death.

The dead body of Samuel R. Richardson, a prominent young farmer of Front Royal, early Sunday morning was found in a meat shop with a long butcher knife at his side. The relatives of the dead man decline to make any statement other than that he died suddenly. A story sent out from Front Royal to the effect that Richardson had been murdered is denied by the authorities.

Richardson's body was discovered about 4:30 o'clock Sunday morning when an employee entered the meat shop. A physician was immediately summoned and he made an examination, and said that the man had been dead only one hour. Richardson was the son of M. O. Richardson, treasurer of Warren county, and one of the wealthiest and most prominent men of that section. He was thirty years old and unmarried. Besides his parents, he

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leaves one brother and one sister. His financial affairs were said to be prosperous, and he was one of the most popular young men in Front Royal.

Sold Into Slavery.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Forty-nine American girls have been sold into lives of slavery in Chinese harems. Most of the white slaves delivered into the hands of Chinese masters are lost to civilization, and can hope for no escape from their bondage save by suicide. They are helpless prisoners in Chinese interior towns, subject to whims of mandarins and wealthy Chinamen who were enabled to purchase them through connivance of a woman whose identity is well known to the government authorities.

The dealer who delivered the girls into slavery, resides in Chicago and has a woman confederate in Shanghai, China, who is also known to the government secret service. These astounding statements were disclosed today by the local immigration bureau, which complained of the sale of Louise Miller, a girl at Montreal, Canada, to the agent of a Chinese official in Shanghai.

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